

PATENT Customer No. 22,852 Attorney Docket No. 03495.0217-00

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Schwartz et al.)) Group Art Unit: 1648
Application No.: 10/083,678) Examiner: PARKIN, J.
Filed: February 27, 2002)) Confirmation No. 9442

MHC-I-RESTRICTED PRESENTATION OF HIV-1 VIRION ANTIGENS For:

WITHOUT VIRAL REPLICATION. APPLICATION TO THE STIMULATION OF

CTL AND VACCINATION IN VIVO; ANALYSIS OF VACCINATING

COMPOSITION IN VITRO

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants hereby petition for a three month extension of time to reply to the Office Action of May 5, 2004. A fee of \$980.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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